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CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

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SUBJ: CONTACT WITH FUMO

REF: STATE 067413

SUMMARY: FUMO PRESIDENT DOMINGOS AROUCA WAS INFORMED
MAR 29 THAT U.S. DOES NOT WISH TO HAVE FURTHER CONTACT WITH
HIS ORGANIZATION. END SUMMARY.

1. PER REFTEL INSTRUCTIONS EMBASSY MARCH 29 INFORMED
ORLANDO DIAS AND UNITED DEMOCRATIC FRONT OF MOZAMBIQUE (FUMO)
PRESIDENT DOMINGOS AROUCA THAT THE U.S. DOES NOT INTERFERE IN
THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF MOZAMBIQUE AND THAT THE U.S. DOES
NOT WISH TO HAVE FURTHER CONTACT WITH FUMO. THEY WERE ACCCOMPANIED
DURING CALL AT EMBASSY BY WILLS GOODYEAR KADEWELE.

2. AROUCA RESPONSE: IN RESPONSE TO AROUCA MADE THE
FOLLOWING POINTS:

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-- FUMO WILL IN NO WAY ABANDON THE STRUGGLE AS A
RESULT OF THE U.S. POSITION;
-- FUMO HAS OTHER FRIENDLY, NON-MARXIST NATIONS TO
WHICH IT CAN TURN FOR ASSISTANCE;
-- U.S. PRINCIPLE OF NON-INTERFERENCE IS RATHER
SENSELESS IN LIGHT OF MASSIVE AND INCREASING SOVIET
AND CUBAN INTERVENTION;

-- THE U.S., BY THIS ACTION, IMMEASURABLY PROTRACTS
THE CONFLICT BETWEEN COMMUNISTS AND DEMOCRATS IN
AFRICA. IT HAS THE CHOICE BETWEEN A QUICK VICTORY
NOW, ATTAINABLE AT A RELATIVELY LOW PRICE,
OR A DRAWN-OUT STRUGGLE IN WHICH VICTORY IS UNCERTAIN.
THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THESE TWO OPTIONS WILL BE
MEASURED IN THOUSANDS OF LIVES. BY OPTING FOR THE
LATTER THE U.S. REVEALS HOW CHEAPLY IT VALUES THE
LIVES OF BLACK AFRICANS.

3. BIOGRAPHIC NOTE: WILLS GOODYEAR KADEVELE WAS
INTRODUCED BY AROUCA AS A LONG TIME FRELIMO MEMBER.
HE REPORTEDLY JOINED FRELIMO IN 1964 AND WAS CLOSELY
ASSOCIATED WITH MONDLANE. DURING THIS TIME HE GAINED,
ACCORDING TO AROUCA, AN INTIMATE KNOWLEDGE OF KEY
FRELIMO PERSONALITIES BOTH PAST AND PRESENT. HE LEFT
MOZAMBIQUE AND FRELIMO JUST AFTER INDEPENDENCE IN
1975. HE APPEARS TO BE BETWEEN 65 AND 70 YEARS
OLD AND IS HARD OF HEARING.

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